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By: LeeAnn Gorthey #3

Attorney Docket No.: 5525-0038.10
Applicant: Sydney Brenner
Serial No.: 09/786,254
Filing Date: 31 August 1999
For: **METHOD OF SCREENING FOR GENETIC
POLYMORPHISM**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:
 - ☒ Sequence Listing floppy diskette, matching declaration, copy of Notification to Reply
 - ☐ A Petition for -Month Extension of Time
 - ☐ Check in the amount of \$
2. Entity Status
 - ☐ Small Entity Status (37 CFR \$1.9 and \$1.27) has been established by a previously submitted Small Entity Statement.
3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:
An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if necessary for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.
4. Provisional Fee Authorization
Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 04-0531.

Respectfully submitted,

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